MR. JAMES SIMPSON:

The Public Works department is in charge of the maintenance work. The Resident Medical Officer is directly responsible for the sanitation of the institution.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from Government whether there is any provision made to prevent spitting about the premises of hospitals?

MR. JAMES SIMPSON: Certainly action is taken and spitting is prohibited?

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know whether the Government are aware that cattle are allowed to graze in the hospital premises?

MR. JAMES SIMPSON: Government are not aware of that.

Trivandrum General Hospital.

142. *MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have got any plan prepared for the reconstruction of the General Hospital;

(*b*) what amount the Government have spent within the last five years for building new sheds for the General Hospital; and

(*c*) whether these new sheds are built in accordance with any general plan for the reconstruction of the General Hospital?

MR. JAMES SIMPSON:

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Rs. 834-27-14.

(*c*) No.

Appendix I.

Vide Answer to Question No. 121.

STATEMENT No. I.

Statement, by caste, of clerks who are now employed in the Zilla Courts.

Caste.	*No.*
Hindus:—	97
Brahmin	40
Nayar	49
Kammala	Nil.
Nadar	Nil.
Ezhava	1
Cheramar	Nil.
Other Hindu	7
Muslim:—	2
Christians:—	25
Jacobite	12
Marthomite	4
Syriac Catholic	2
Latin Catholic	4
South Indian United Church	2
Other Christian	1

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